February 10, 1906

WASHINGTON LETTER.

State News Collected at the National Capital by Our Regular Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, FEB. 3rd, 1906.—The foes of the pure food law have showed their hands in the Senate by introducing a measure striking out all but the enacting clause of the Heyburn bill preparatory to substituting for it a bill prepared by the National Food Manufacturers' Association. Now a national pure food law has been long and urgently needed. It touches every man, woman and child in the country, especially the children and it is a law that no honest manufacturer has anything to fear from. It has been urged by all state food authorities and by all of the agricultural colleges of the country. The Heyburn bill was drawn under expert advice to fill this particular need and it put the execution of the law into the hands of the department of agriculture where it could be enforced. It also made the department of commerce and labor, the treasury department and the department of justice parties to its administration. It was not a measure that any manufacturey of impure food liked and, as they did not dare to fight in the open, they have prepared a substitute which will be so placed that it is likely to die of inanition. The substitute measure, while on the face of it more drastic even than the Heyburn bill, leaves a beautiful outlet for every retail dealer in misbranded and adulterated foods by requiring that the label and the name of the shipper shall appear only on the box or crate in which the goods are shipped and not on the packages sold to the consumer. One can easily see how parentally protective a law of this sort would be. It also provides against publishing the names of firms misbranding and adulterating foods and thus robs the law of the greatest of all safeguards, namely publicity. The measure has not yet come to a vote. But there is bound to be a lively fight and the manufacturers have a strong lobby engaged in trying to push their measure through.

Shippers of live cattle who would gladly make an extra penny out of the sufferings of their dumb victims, have encountered a strong obstacle in the House in the shape of the humane societies which are trying to block what would be a disgracefully inhuman law. Cattle shippers are limited by statute to 28 hours as the longest haul to which they can subject stock without rest, food or water. This law was for years a dead letter. But it has been enforced by Secretary Wilson for two years past and the shippers are feeling the pinch of it. They are now trying to get the time extended so that they can haul cattle 36 hours without rest, food or water, claiming blandly that the cattle suffer less in this way than through the additional handling to which they would be subjected were more frequent stops made. This is pure sophistry and is designed to make the run just as long as it can be made without actually losing on the weight of the beasts shipped. Their sufferings are nothing. It is merely a question of making the greatest possible profit out of them. If the decent minded men and women who are urging a reduction instead of an extension in the feeding time have their way, it will result either in the shippers being forced to put on cattle cars with feeding and watering attachments or better still in moving the slaughter houses from Omaha and Chicago nearer to the cattle raising centres. The beef trust is largely indifferent to the outcome of the fight. It does not have to pay for shipping the cattle and, if the extra expense to the seller forces the trust to pay a trifle more for beef, it will come out of the consumer's pocket anyhow. Of course should the slaughter houses have to be moved, it would entail some additional expense that would have to be made up out of the seller and the consumer combined. But the question of the humanity or inhumanity involved is a mere detail that would never have received a thought had not this fight been forced by the humane societies in the committee of the House.

Representative Sulzer, of New York, has touched on a very sore spot with the government by introducing a resolution for investigating the deal by which the old custom house in New York was sold to the National City Bank eight years ago for a mere song and in virtue of which the government has been paying rent ever since for the old building. The bank has never paid out a cent for it and has dodged the taxes on the property by letting the deed still rest in the hands of the government. This is not the first time that this transaction has been brought up but it is an ever tender subject and, if forced this time to an investigation is likely to uncover a pretty scandal. It will be remembered that the price was ridiculously low in the first place. The property was sold to the bank for $3,265,000 when experts valued it at nearly $10,000,000. It has been appreciating in value every minute since. The bank is a big depository of government funds, and it paid for the building simply by transferring the purchase figures from one book to another without ever paying out a cent of real money. Even then it held back $50,000 of the purchase price, so that the deed has never been recorded, the result being that the bank has never had a cent of taxes to pay on the property. Meantime it has been receiving $130,000 a year rent for the building so that, by the time the new custom house is completed, which will still be some years hence, it will about have received the price of the building back in rent and will have the immensely valuable plot of ground through a process of high finance that it is difficult for a common person to appreciate. It will not have had to spend a penny for it. A thorough investigation that would turn the light of publicity on the whole transaction is to be devoutly hoped for but scarcely to be expected.

NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Local and Other News of Interest for Our Readers in a Brief Way.

The merchants are busy invoicing stock.

Farmers began cutting ice from the ponds Wednesday.

The statement of the Stevensville Savings Bank appears in another column.

I sell stoves on the installment plan. Pay a little and charge the balance—S. E. Kirby.

Delegate Smith has introduced a bill in the House to provide flagmen at railroad crossings in Queen Anne's county.

If there was any doubt about the groundhog seeing his shadow Friday last the weather is fast dispelling that doubt.

Capt. Robert S. Emory, of Kent county, says that this is the season for spraying and advises the use of a spray pump.

A well equipped livery and feed stable in Queenstown, doing a good business, can be bought on easy terms. Apply to Grover Mullikin.

J. L. Goldsborough wishes to inform the public that he is still selling the Wooldridge fertilizers and also agent for Frederick ground commercial lime. Give him a call if you want to grow good crops.

Monday morning while driving a spirited horse, near the railroad station, the horse became frightened and turning short around, threw Eugene Voshel out of his buggy, slightly injuring his face and badly damaging the buggy.

According to the calendar next Wednesday is valentine day, but it seems that some of our people have their dates mixed, as the comic ones have been passing through the mails since last week. Downes can supply your wants in this line.

The marriage of Miss Beulah Gertrude Sparks, daughter of Mrs. Mary J. Sparks, formerly of this county, to Dr. Guy Franklin Thigpin, of Bethel, North Carolina, will take place at the bride's residence in Baltimore, Thursday, February 15, 1906.

Another one of those pistols that was not loaded(?) went off with Jos. S. Morris, of Centreville, Wednesday. The bullet cut its way through the fleshy part of his left hand. The cats will continue to hold nightly concerts in his backyard until Joe's hand mends.

The Sudlersville correspondent of the Chestertown *Enterprise*, says: "A petition was in circulation Monday praying the legislature to abolish the office of road supervisor and increasing the number of county commissioners from three to seven—one from each district."

Persons who have to travel our thoroughfares this week, have observed a large placard card, neatly tacked to a large poplar tree in front of a handsome residence, with the inscription—For Rent. Evidently the owner don't want the pairs disturbed this summer.

While looking for muskrats Wednesday, William Crouch, Michael McNamee and August Schellberg found a large fox in a steel trap and brought it home. Weather permitting, they expect to release him this morning, and the huntsmen from Wye Neck with their pack will join our local huntsmen in the chase.

Carroll, the 12-year-old son of Michael McNamee, has been up against accidents this week. Sunday morning while eating breakfast he let a hot cup of tea slip from his hand; the tea scalded his breast quite severely. After being housed two days he went skating Wednesday, when he fell and sprained his ankle so badly that he had to be carried to his home where he will have to remain for several weeks.

All old-time cough syrups bind the bowels. This is wrong. A new idea was advanced two years ago in Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. This remedy acts on the mucous membranes of the throat and lungs and loosens the bowels at the same time. It expels all cold from the system. It clears the throat, strengthens the mucous membranes, relieves coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough etc. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

Don't deceive yourself. If you have indigestion take Kodol Dyspepsia Cure. It will relieve you. Rev. W. E. Hocutt, South Mills, N. C., says: "I was troubled with chronic indigestion for several years; whatever I ate seemed to cause heartburn, sour stomach, fluttering of my heart, and general depression of mind and body. My druggist recommend Kodol, and it has relieved me. I can now eat anything and sleep soundly at night. Kodol digests what you eat. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

Mrs. James Slaughter, of Centreville, had a close call from burning to death, Tuesday evening, while frying oysters. The lard caught fire and quickly ignited Mrs. Slaughter's clothes, which were soon ablaze. Her husband who was in an adjoining room ran to her assistance and threw his overcoat around her which smothered the flames. Notwithstanding the prompt assistance of her husband, Mrs. Slaughter's clothes were nearly consumed by the flames. Her arms and hands were horribly burned.

Newspapers will not be sold on the lines of the Pennsylvania railroad hereafter. The anti-pass order issued by President Cassett has been interpreted by the management to include the newsboy who has been accustomed to sell his papers on the through and suburban trains. They rode on passes provided the Union News Company by the railroad company under a general contract. Mr. Cassett's order precluded giving out any form of free transportation to other than employees, and the train newsboy was driven out of business.

FARMERS ADDRESSED.

The Farmers' Institute Hold Sessions, Monday and Tuesday in Centreville.

The Queen Anne's county Farmers' Institute was held in the court house, Centreville on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

The work is under the management of William L. Amoss, director of the farmers' institutes of Maryland. The morning session on Monday commenced at 10 o'clock. Mr. Amoss made the introductory remarks and introduced the speaker, Clayton M. Lewelling, of Beaver City, Neb. Mr. Lewelling took as his subject, "Corn and How to Get the Greatest Yields to the Acre." He proved himself master of his subject and when the session was over many pronounced his talk the best ever heard at an institute in this county. The speaker, by use of illustrations, told how the yield of corn might be materially increased by the careful selection of seed corn and still further increased by breeding. He showed how live stock had developed by proper breeding and claimed as much could be accomplished with corn. Unfortunately there was not a score of farmers present, yet there were quite a number of the high school boys, who are the sons of farmers, in attendance and to them Mr. Lewelling directed the principle part of his talk.

The State of Maryland, through Mr. Amoss, has offered to give a free scholarship at the Maryland Agricultural College to one boy in each county in the state, to be selected by Mr. Amoss. This scholarship will be awarded next year at the institute. The scholarship will be given to the boy who is the best judge of corn. Every white boy in Queen Anne's county is entitled to enter this contest. Every contestant will be required this fall to select ten ears of corn and bring them to the next institute held here. Any boy interested should write Mr. Amoss for particulars.

In the afternoon, Jared Van Wagner, of New York, addressed the meeting on dairy subjects. His talk was very interesting and instructive. He did not recommend any particular breed of cattle, but good ones of the pure standard breeds, not necessarily thoroughbreds, yet he did advise the use of thoroughbred bulls. He seems to think that the milk industry on the Eastern Shore is yet in its infancy. He says that the time will come when all of our farmers will market their milk. He explained how milk could be kept sweet for several days and how to make the best butter. He also dwelt at some length on the proper feed for cattle. He is a great believer in the silo, not because it materially increases the supply of milk but for economic reasons.

Mr. Lewelling again addressed the institute at the afternoon session on "Alfalfa, Greatest of Forage Crops." He explained the difficulty that had to be overcome before it could be successfully raised in his state, and surmised that our farmers would have to confront the same conditions. Yet science has come to our rescue and, if our farmers had been at the institute they would have learned how to overcome these conditions in a single season. If you know them not, Mr. Farmer, you had better write to Mr. Amoss before you sow your alfalfa. Mr. Lewelling claims that alfalfa is the greatest forage crop in the country today and, if more generally grown so much commercial fertilizers would not be needed. It puts new life in the soil and makes poor soil rich at the same time that it produces the forage crop. He was asked the reason our soil would no longer grow red clover. He said he was not acquainted with our land but thought it might be because the soil was sour and needed lime to sweeten it.

Two sessions were held Tuesday, morning and afternoon, at which a number of farmers were interested listeners. Mr. Van Wagner gave a splendid talk in the morning upon "Dairy Feeds," and he was followed by Mr. Lewelling, who imparted some very valuable information upon "Hog Raising."

"Good Roads and Education" were the topics at the afternoon session, and the impression prevails that the institute was a decided success though rather poorly attended.

Common Colds are the Cause of Many Serious Diseases.

Physicians who have gained a national reputation as analysts of the cause of various diseases, claim that if catching cold could be avoided a long list of dangerous ailments would never be heard of. Every one knows that pneumonia and consumption originate from a cold, and chronic catarrh, bronchitis, and all throat and lung trouble are aggravated and rendered more serious by each fresh attack. Do not risk your life or take chances when you have a cold. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will cure it before these diseases develop. This remedy contains no opium, morphine or other harmful drug and has thirty years of reputation back of it, gained by its cures under every condition. For sale by B. E. Cockey & Co.

A Healing Gospel.

The Rev. J. C. Warren, pastor of Sharon Baptist Church, Belair, Ga., says of Electric Bitters: "It's a God-send to mankind. It cured me of lame back, stiff joints, and complete physical collapse. I was so weak it took me half an hour to walk a mile. Two bottles of Electric Bitters have made me so strong I have just walked three miles in 50 minutes and feel like walking three more. It's made a new man of me." Greatest remedy for weakness and all stomach, liver and kidney complaints. Sold on a guarantee at J. S. Denny. Price 50c

Just a little Kodol after meals will relieve that fulness, belching, gas on stomach, and all other symptoms of indigestion. Kodol digests what you eat, and enables the stomach and digestive organs to perform their functions naturally. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

Trappers are Having a Successful Season.

There is all kinds of sport on the Delaware-Maryland peninsula in winter time. Last week there were two new departures, brought about by the mild, springlike weather—wild geese appeared on wheat fields and meadow land adjoining both shores, and turtle catching became a profitable and exhilarating sport. James Coleman, of Kent county, is probably the champion catcher. He caught nearly eighty big turtles and found ready sale for them. Nathan Pinder, near town, is a strong competitor of Coleman and says he will try hard to have old Queen Anne's head the list when the season closes.

Muskrat trapping and catching was never more exciting or more profitable. Peninsula merchants are paying for hides, pelts and furs, the following good prices: black rats, 30 cents in trade, 25 cents cash; brown rats, 18 and 15 cents; minks, $2.75 and $3.50; raccoons, 75 cents and $1; opossums, 60 and 40 cents. William B. Anthony sold one hundred and twenty-seven fall muskrat furs last week in Baltimore for which he received 28 cents each. The meat he sold for 10 cents. Mr. Anthony said the buyer of his furs told him that he thought spring muskrat fur would bring 40 cents each. There are a number of our citizens who find trapping profitable.

Power From Tuckahoe River to Light Towns

E. W. Maloney, a representative of a Philadelphia company, is now in Queen Anne with a view of placing a large electric plant for lighting Queen Anne, Hillsboro, Denton, Greensboro, Ridgely, Centreville and possibly Easton. The power for the plant will be furnished by the Tuckahoe river, which will be dammed in such a manner as to give over 200 horsepower. This Mr. Maloney is confident, can be accomplished at small expense and thus make the operating charges small as compared with plants run by steam. Surveys are in progress.

Luckiest Man in Arkansas.

"I'm the luckiest man in Arkansas," writes H. L. Stanley, of Bruno "since the restoration of my wife's health after five years of continuous coughing and bleeding from the lungs; and I owe my good fortune to the world's greatest medicine, Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, which I know from experience will cure consumption if taken in time. My wife improved with first bottle and twelve bottles completed the cure." Cures the worst coughs and colds or money refunded. 50c and $1 a bottle at Jacob S. Denny. Trial bottle free.

They never gripe or sicken, but cleanse and strengthen the stomach, liver and bowels. This is the universal verdict of the many thousands who use DeWitt's Little Early Risers. These famous little pills relieve headache, constipation, biliousness, jaundice, torpid liver, sallow complexion etc. Try Little Early Risers. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

Lame Back.

This ailment is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles and may be cured by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm two or three times a day and rubbing the parts vigorously at each application. If this does not afford relief, bind on a piece of flannel slightly dampened with Pain Balm, and quick relief is almost sure to follow. For sale by B. E. Cockey & Co.

ABOUT YOUR FRIENDS.

Some are Visiting, While Others are Entertaining Relatives and Friends.

Miss May Pinder left last Saturday to visit relatives in Winchester.

Miss May Jones, of Wilmington, Del., is visiting Mrs. Alex. Godwin.

Miss Mollie Roe is visiting her sister, Mrs. Edward Willey, in Lewes, Del.

Mrs. Charles S. Embert continues to improve and will soon be able to be outdoors.

Miss Caddie Catrup left Monday morning for Laurel, Md., to resume her employment.

Mr. Blaney Eaton, of Chester, is spending this week with his cousin, Mr. John Jones.

Mrs. Charles H. Metzdorff has been confined to the house this week with nervous prostration.

Mr. Louis Robinson resumed his duties as principal of our public school, Monday morning.

Miss Evelyn Magness, of Baltimore, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. E. Cockey last week.

Mr. William Freburger, of Baltimore, is the guest of his father-in-law, Mr. William B. Anthony.

Mr. John Meredith and family, of Templeville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Booker this week.

Mr. W. Kent Shenbrooks has been spending sometime with relatives in Centreville but yesterday week left here for Baltimore to endeavor to obtain a legacy of about $1500 left his mother and two other heirs by an uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Manus Boyle, of Willoughby, and granddaughters, Misses Gertrude and Helen Rhodes and Mr. and Mrs. J. Edward Connolly, of near Centreville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James F. Boyles at "Overton" near town, Sunday.

Mrs. Frank B. Anthony gave a party to some relatives and friends Tuesday night at the residence of Mr. William Pinder. Dances and cards were the amusements. The part most enjoyed, was the supper served about midnight. Some most forgot when to move.

Kent Traction Co. Organized Last Week.

The project for a railway on the Eastern Shore took definite shape when the Kent Traction Company was organized last Thursday week at Chestertown with a capital of $75,000. The company will build a line from Tolchester to Chestertown, passing through Georgetown and Fairlee. Gasoline will be the motive power.

The company will issue stock at $50 a share, and it is said that the voluntary subscriptions are very encouraging. As soon as arrangements can be made the line will be extended to Rock Hall and Betterton, and it is the aim of the promoters to secure rights of way, connecting up many of the Eastern Shore communities which are at present without railroad facilities.

The survey of the line which will be built first is almost entirely over private right of way. One mile, the last of the road, and nearest Chestertown, will follow the county road, and this is about the only exception. Much of the right of way has already been given. The company will lay 60-pound rails and will have cars of the semi convertible type, similar to the new ones of the United Railways and Electric Company in Baltimore, except that they will have single trucks. On each of the axles will be placed a 40-horse power gasoline motor, and a high rate of speed is promised. The fare will be 30 cents each way, based on the mileage plan, as advocated in the new law before the Legislature.

The terminal at Tolchester will be in the resort and the first line will be about 10 miles long.

Candy a Cure for "Spring Fever."

In a few weeks, that "tired feeling" will be prevalent. Prof. Loe in a lecture before the biology section of the Academy of Sciences in New York Tuesday night advises those thus afflicted, to eat a pound of candy or take a dose of cooking soda. The professor continuing said that there were three acids in the blood which caused or influenced fatigue. He was sure of it, because he had taken those acids and injected them into the muscles of a frog, and those acidized muscles had tired much more rapidly than the normal muscles. He also said there was another acid which was conspicuous by its absence. He was quite positive however, that sugar or candy can help out this difficulty, and possibly cooking soda. "When one is very tired," he said, "a quantity of candy will, half an hour after eating, often make one feel very energetic."

A Habit to be Encouraged.

The mother who has acquired the habit of keeping on hand a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, saves herself a great amount of uneasiness and anxiety. Coughs, colds and croup, to which children are susceptible are quickly cured by its use. It counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia, and if given as soon as the first symptoms of croup appear, it will prevent the attack. This remedy contains nothing injurious and mothers give it to little ones with a feeling of perfect security. For sale by B. E. Cockey & Co

A man who once had rough horny-hands made them soft and smooth with Witch Hazel Salve, but he used the genuine—that bearing the name "E. C. DeWitt & Co. Chicago." For sores, boils, cuts, burns, bruises, etc. it has no equal, and affords almost immediate relief from blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

The Yellow Fever Germ

has recently been discovered. It bears a close resemblance to the malaria germ. To free the system from disease germs, the most effective remedy is Dr. King's New Life Pills. Guaranteed to cure all diseases due to malaria poison and constipation. 25c. at J. S. Denny.

ITEMS FROM GUY'S.

Our Correspondent Sends an Account of the Happenings in This Section.

Mr. Benjamin J. Blunt is on the sick list.

Farmers were busy filling their ice houses the first of the week.

Mr. Joseph Blunt, of Centreville, visited his parents last Sunday.

Our boys and girls enjoyed themselves skating several days this week.

The W. C. T. U., held their meeting at Mrs. E. R. Walters Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Dadds visited friends on Wye Island several days last week.

Capt. Norman Bryan, of Kent Island, spent a few days this week with Mr. Louis Quinn.

Mr. Medford Coursey spent several days with his father, Mr. Samuel C. Coursey in Baltimore last week.

Mrs. W. O. Bennett, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Amanda Price, has returned to her home in Sudlersville.

Winter has given us some old fashion weather this week. Tuesday morning, the thermometer registered 8 degrees.

Mr. Herbert Jones, who spent several days with friends in this section last week, has returned to his home in Centreville.

It does seem so funny that we never hear from our delegates at Annapolis. Come boys, and give us a pointer so we can tell where you stand politically.

If there is any truth in the groundhog, we will have six weeks of wintry weather. If this week is a sample, we are satisfied that his hogship ought to be promoted.

Church Hill Bank Will Open About April 1.

The new bank to be opened for business in Church Hill from the 1 to the 15 of April next will make the sixth one in Queen Anne's county. Its charter is now pending before the Legislature and all the capital stock has been subscribed. Subscription books were opened on Saturday, January 27 and by the following Wednesday it was found that the stock had been over subscribed. Each stockholder was limited to 20 shares at $10 each. The bank will be a state institution with savings feature and its charter will call for a capital stock of $10,000 with the privilege of increasing it at any time to a sum not exceeding $50,000.

Nearly every business man in Church Hill is a stockholder and, consequently interested in its growth and prosperity. The following directory has been named: E. S. Valliant, J. K. Brown, E. B. Walls, E. G. Coppage, J. E. Meredith, W. E. B. Faithful, W. J. Massey, John H. Newnam, James B. Newnam, Levi Pippin and J. Frank Temple. It is probable that Edwin S. Valliant will be chosen president of the institution and a good, careful man will be elected as cashier.

Gas in the Stomach.

Belching and that sense of fullness so often experienced after eating is caused by the formation of gas. The stomach fails to perform its functions and the food ferments. Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will correct the disorder. They aid digestion and strengthen and invigorate the stomach and bowels. For sale by B. E. Cockey & Co.

The new cough syrup—the one that acts as a mild cathartic on the bowels—is Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar. It expels all cold from the system, cuts the phlegm out of the throat, strengthens the mucous membranes of the bronchial tubes, and relieves croup, whooping cough, etc. Children love it. J. S. Denny and Wye Mills drug store.

Frightfully Burned.

Charles W. Moore, a machinist, of Ford City, Pa., had his hand frightfully burned in an electrical furnace. He applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve with the usual result: "a quick and perfect cure." Greatest healer on earth for burns, wounds, sores, eczema and piles. 25c. at J. S. Denny.

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CHESTER ITEMS.

Our Correspondent Sends Us the Happenings from that Village.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marvel are visiting relatives in Easton.

The W. C. T. U., held a social at the home of Mrs. Fred. Robinson last Tuesday.

Among the sick in our neighborhood, Mrs. Harris is not improving very much.

Mr. Richard Brown, of Love Point, visited last Sunday with his family at Chester.

Miss Bena Foebus has returned home from quite a long visit at her sister's, Mrs. Howard Wilson in Baltimore.

Many social games were played at the home of Mr. Samuel G. Jones among a large number of invited guests Tuesday night.

Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Irving Trott, both of Crab Alley Neck, were quietly married at the home of Mrs. Jones last Sunday night at 6 o'clock.

We are very sorry the Holiness have left Stevensville but, while the meetings were in progress, some of our young men liked to froze themselves in walking to town for the purpose of seeing their sweethearts.

Shops Destroyed by Fire.

Last Saturday morning about 3 o'clock fire broke out in the machine and blacksmith shops of John R. Cook, Centreville. When the local fire company reached the shops they were beyond saving as also the home of John P. Forrester, colored, but the adjacent buildings were protected from the flames. Mr. Cook's loss is a total one, as all of his tools and material were burned. His insurance was $2,400 on building and contents and, his loss is perhaps, over $5,000, making a loss to him of approximately $3,000. Forrester had $1,000 insurance on the house and furniture and, he estimates his loss at $1,500. His mother, aged 77 years came near being burned in her bed. The bedding and clothes were on fire when she was taken out.

Queenstown Roller Mills

To the Public

The past summer we remodelled our mill on the latest improved Peerless Sifter System, also putting new labor-saving machinery which enables us to turn out more trade, also giving us the advantage of giving quanity and quality which we guarantee quality to be excelled by none. Since remodelling we have the most complete mill in Maryland.

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Special attention given to Exchange work.

Try a sack of our best flour "Golden Grains."

J. J. Golt,

Proprietor of Queenstown Flour Mills

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Maryland, Delaware & Virginia Railway Company.

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Trains leave Daily, except Sunday.

WEST BOUND.

Lewis	7.10 A. M.	†1.10 P. M.
Ellendale	7.44 "	†2.00 "
Greenwood	8.04 "	†3.00 "
Denton	8.34 "	†3.50 "
Queen Anne	8.50 "	†4.13 "
Queenstown	9.18 "	†4.48 "
Love Point	10.00 "	†5.30 "
Ar. Baltimore	12.00 noon.	

EAST BOUND.

Baltimore		3.30 P. M.
Love Point	‡7.30 A. M.	5.40 "
Queenstown	‡8.25 "	6.10 "
Queen Anne	‡9.10 "	6.35 "
Denton	‡9.45 "	6.52 "
Greenwood	‡11.06 "	7.21 "
Ellendale	‡11.25 "	7.42 "
Ar. Lewes	‡12.00 Noon	8.12 "

†This train will make connections with steamer at Love Point for Baltimore Saturdays only. Ar. Baltimore 7.45 P. M.

‡This train will get steamer connections at Love Point from Baltimore on Mondays only, Lv. Baltimore 6.00 A. M.

CENTREVILLE BRANCH.

Lv. Centreville for Queenstown	8.48 A. M.	4.10 P. M.
Ar. Queenstown	9.08 "	4.30 "
Lv. Queenstown for Centreville	9.37 "	6.15 "

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This Year must and shall be a Record Breaker in Our Volume of Business.

In telling you what we are going to do during the present year we have no space to devote to generalities or idle boasting but simple facts.

Ginghams that cost you 7 and 8c pr yard elsewhere here 6c.
Children's dress goods low as 6c per yard.
Calico 6 to 6½ per yard.
Ladies dress goods from 25c to 49c. Some of these goods are easily worth 75c.
Our blankets are greatly reduced, 65c. buys our 90c blankets, 1.25 buys our 1.75 heavy gray, 2.49 buys our 3.00 goods, all double.
Dollar comforts 87c.
1.25 " 1.00.
1.50 " 1.35.
These goods are made in the best manner possible
Bed ticking that is cheap at 15c goes at 12½c. 20c goods is yours at 16c.
A complete line of ladies, children's and men's underwear.
We have about forty suits in gray flanned that we will close out at 40c. half gone.
Our men's jumpers, overalls and working shirts have both the quantity and quality.
Our corduroy pants are perfect in their makeup, you can buy them right.
A good heavy pair of casimeres at 1.25.
An elegant pair all wool imported goods worth 5.00 at 2.50.
We claim to have the best buckskin glove made.
Full line of misses, ladies and children's gloves and mits.
Nice line of men's and boys' hats and caps,
25-cent caps 20c.
6 spools of Cotton for 25c.
Ladies and children's shawls, tamoshantas and fascinators, toboggans and handkerchiefs.
We take particular pride in showing you our nice line of shoes. Our longlast shoes are inferior to none. The everlasting shoe we will be delighted to show you. Buy the Hard Knock shoe for boys.
Ask for coupons in this room.
We only want cost for the best boots left.

Every pair of our Boots absolutely at Come and we will prove

Goods Retailed at Wholesale Prices

In our grocery room will find the most varied complete line of goods have looked upon in your existence. We are yond all doubt the larg buyers in your county, being a large majority of goods direct from the factory thereby saving these outgeous freight bills. This saving we will give to you. Our add carefully as prices quoted below demand the cash absolutely and are subject a change as goods decline advance.

Granulated sugar 5c per pound.
Brown " " " " "
Buckwheat flour 4c per pound.
We told you how it would be, advanced.
Royal Gem coffee 14½c per pound.
Levering " 18½c "
3 pound pail jelly 12c.
Rumford yeast powder 10c per box.
6 bottles Davis " for 25c.
6 " Sea Gull " " "
6 " Parrot and Monkey for 25c.
6 sacks salts for 25c.
6 bottles bluing large for 25c.
6 bars octagon soap " "
" " oleine " "
" " German family " "
" " Magic cleaner " "
" " Ivory soap " "
" packages arm and hammer brand for 25c.
Dried apples 5c or 6 pounds for
A better variety at 7c per pound.
3 one pound box cracker dust at 25c.
Hominy 4c per quart.
Walter Baker's chocolate 20c per cake.
William " " 18c " "
Buy a can of Wm. H. Baker's cocoa.
Buy a bar of our washing compound. No scrubbing or wash board needed 5c a bar.
6 boxes sardines for 25c.
6 glasses mustard " "
6 boxes " " "
" " pepper " "
3 large pkgs snuff " "
6 boxes " " "
" " gold dust " "
Lima beans 10c per quart.
Zest and Puff Rice.
Quaker oats 10c.
New York beans 3 qts for 25c.
Hawkeye and Pawnee Gath 25c.
Olives 10c to fifty per bottle.
Large bottle pickles for 10c.
Gallon best Porto Rico molasses
" " golden syrup 35c.
Lea's hominy grits per pkg 10c.
Prunes from 5c to 12 per pound.
Elegant valencia raisins 10c per pound.
If you don't drink coffee try Postum, very pleasant and nutritious drink.
Oatmeal, cream of wheat, grape nuts and many other articles of diet too numerous can be found at our place.
A complete line of fresh and smoked meats.
Picnic hams 10c per pound.
Three lbs city lard at 25c.
No coupons at these prices.

We live up to our contract. Flour will be higher next week. Our ad. stands today only.

Matting we are selling below cost.

Nice line of Oilcloth and Linoleum.

If you want your Shoes repaired neatly, bring them here.

We buy and sell everything. Highest market prices paid for produce.

"THE HUSTLERS."